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- 1. U.S. Patent No. 6,802,990 B2 issued October 12, 2004.
- 2. Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-285147, published October 3, 2002 with English Abstract.

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